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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: DURIEZ et al

Serial No.: 09/887,066

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For: Transport Device For Analysing Hydrocarbon-
Containing Constituents

Art Unit: 1743

Examiner: S. Siefke

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

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August 26 2004

Sir:

The following is a statement of the substance of the telephonic interview conducted between the Examiner and the undersigned on August 17, 2004.

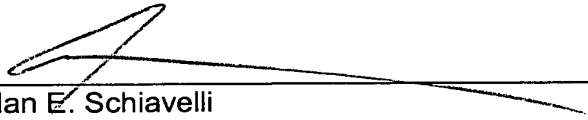
During the interview, the undersigned requested action on the Request for Reconsideration After Final Rejection filed May 17, 2004, and requested that he be advised of the status of the application. The Examiner informed the undersigned that the Request for Reconsideration After Final Rejection had been considered but that the Examiner did not deem it to place the application in condition for allowance.

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